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SUBJECT: CHINESE DECLINE JULY 4 INVITATION

REF: KA) STATE 138487 (;) COTONOU A-52

FOR RECORD, WISH TO REPORT THAT PRC CHARGE D'AFFAIRES WAS INVITED TO SMALL JULY 4 RECEPTION ALONG WITH OTHER CHIEFS OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS RESIDENT IN COTONOU; ONLY NORTH KOREANS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON GUEST LIST. CHARGE TELEPHONED EMBASSY IMMEDIATELY AFTER RECEIPT OF INVITATION. SPEAKING TO DAHOMEAN RECEPTIONIST, HE THANKED AMBASSADOR FOR INVITATION, BUT DECLINED ON GROUNDS OF "PREVIOUS ENGAGEMENT." IN FEW SOCIAL CONTACTS AT OTHER DIPLOMATIC RECEPTIONS, CHINESE HAVE BEEN DISTANT BUT CORRECT IN CONTACT WITH MEMBERS EMBASSY STAFF. (SEE REF AIRGRAM.)
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